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SUBJECT: CONOFF JOHN COFFEY CONSULTATIONS IN PEKING

REF: (A) PEKING 610, (B) PEKING 0574

1. INFORMATION CONTAINED REFTEL (A) REGARDING HUGE INCREASE
IN US TOURIST TO PRC PROJECTED FOR THIS YEAR AND DEATH
REPORTED REFTEL (B) OF US TOURIST IN CANTON UNDERSCORES
AGAIN THE NEED FOR CLOSE COORDINATION BETWEEN USLO, CONGEN
AND CTS IN CONNECTION WITH WELFARE OF TOURIST IN
EMERGENCY SITUATION IN SOUTHERN CHINA.

2. LUCKILY USCPFA TOUR OFFICIALS WERE AT SCENE TO HANDLE
ARRANGEMENTS FOLLOWING HOLMES' DEATH. WE WERE EQUALLY
FORTUNATE IN OTHER RECENT CANTON EMERGENCIES (CONGEN
WISHES TO SHARE WITH USLO KUDOS RECEIVED FROM AMCITS
BLUMENSHINE AND FEIGON).

3. IN THIS REGARD USLO MIGHT WISH TO CONSIDER TAKING
ADVANTAGE OF CONOFF COFFEY'S PRESENCE IN PEKING TO
TAKE UP TOURIST WELFARE QUESTIONS WITH CTS OFFICIALS
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IF THE OCCASION ARISES. OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO
CONGEN WOULD BE ANY PROGRESS TOWARD ESTABLISHING
SPECIFIC POINTS OF CONTACT AND PERMANENT CHANNELS
OF COMMUNICATION WITH APPROPRIATE KTS (CTS) OFFICIALS
IN CANTON WHICH BLUMENSHINE AND FEIGON CASES PROVED
ARE NEEDED TO IMPROVE OUR REACTION TIME AND TO PROVIDE
MOST EFFECTIVE SUPPORT POSSIBLE USLO'S EFFORTS IN

THIS AREA.
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